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Washington, D.C. 20231

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for

invention entitled:

A METHOD FOR SURFACE TREATMENT, ORNAMENTS AND ELECTRONIC DEVICES

and invented by:

Akira Uchiyama

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Application Elements

1. ☐ Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below

2. ☒ Specification having 51 pages and including the following:

- a. ☒ Descriptive Title of the Invention
- b. ☒ Cross References to Related Applications (if applicable)
- c. ☐ Statement Regarding Federally-sponsored Research/Development (if applicable)
- d. ☐ Reference to Microfiche Appendix (if applicable)
- e. ☒ Background of the Invention
- f. ☒ Brief Summary of the Invention
- g. ☒ Brief Description of the Drawings (if drawings filed)
- h. ☒ Detailed Description
- i. ☒ Claim(s) as Classified Below
- j. ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure

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3. ☒ Drawing(s) *(when necessary as prescribed by 35 USC 113)*
- a. ☒ Formal Number of Sheets 3
- b. ☐ Informal Number of Sheets _____
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration
- a. ☐ Newly executed *(original or copy)* ☐ Unexecuted
- b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) *(for continuation/divisional application only)*
- c. ☒ With Power of Attorney ☐ Without Power of Attorney
- d. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application,
see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. ☒ Incorporation By Reference *(usable if Box 4b is checked)*
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under
Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby
incorporated by reference therein.
6. ☐ Computer Program in Microfiche *(Appendix)*
7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission *(if applicable, all must be included)*
- a. ☐ Paper Copy
- b. ☐ Computer Readable Copy *(identical to computer copy)*
- c. ☐ Statement Verifying Identical Paper and Computer Readable Copy

Accompanying Application Parts

8. ☐ Assignment Papers *(cover sheet & document(s))*
9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(B) Statement *(when there is an assignee)*
10. ☐ English Translation Document *(if applicable)*
11. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
12. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Acknowledgment postcard
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15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Additional Enclosures (please identify below):

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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
BASIC FEE					\$760.00
OTHER FEE (specify purpose)					\$0.00
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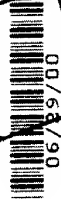
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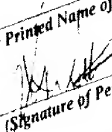
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June 4, 1998

**COMMUNICATION FILING SIGNED COPY OF DECLARATION
IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED AND SURCHARGE AUTHORIZATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Attn: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted, mailed April 10, 1998, a copy of which is annexed hereto, Applicant submits a Declaration executed on May 7, 1998 by Akira Uchiyama.


Kindly enter the accompanying executed Declaration, which refers to the Application Serial No. 09/007,129, filed on January 14, 1998, in the application file.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the surcharge for filing the Declaration, estimated to be \$130.00, filing fee of \$1,208.00, totaling \$1,338.00, and any deficiencies to the undersigned attorney's Deposit Account No. 19-4709. A duplicate copy of this Communication is enclosed.

Applicant submits that the filing of the executed Declaration and payment of the surcharge which is authorized herein completes the filing requirements in connection with this application. If any issues remain which prevent the enclosed Declaration from being entered, it is requested that the undersigned attorney be notified in an effort to resolve such issues.

Early and favorable action in connection with this application is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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